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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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December 13, 2017

Ms. Rose Santos
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Dear Ms. Santos:

This letter is the final response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request received at Naval Surface Warfare Center, (NSWC) Crane Division on July 6, 2017. Your request indicated that you are seeking, "Relevant to N0016413DJQ59, we seek Requesting the Base Contract documentation Requesting the Source Selection or Decision documentation Requesting the Source Selection Debriefing charts Requesting any Pre-and Post-Negotiation Business Clearance Memos Requesting the Abstract of Bids documentation Requesting documentation related to all Contract Modifications Requesting documentation related to all Delivery Orders Requesting documentation related to all Task Orders." Your request was assigned local Case File Number 2017-F-028. Per your email dated July, 14, 2017, you indicated that you would not accept clearly releasable information.

As it was received, the FOIA request stated that you agreed to pay FOIA processing fees of up to \$55.00. You were assigned into the "Commercial" fee category. As per the FOIA Improvement Act of 2016, due to the response time to your request exceeding the statutorily regulated time there is no charge for your request

A thorough search was conducted and seventy-one (71) responsive documents were located here at NSWC Crane. The documents were redacted consistent with three applicable FOIA exemptions at 5 U.S.C. § 552(b) Exemption 4, Exemption 5 and Exemption 6. Exemption (b)(4) protects commercial or financial information received from a private source when disclosure is likely to cause substantial competitive harm to the source. Exemption (b)(5) exempts pre-decisional opinions and recommendations that were not incorporated into a final decision; as well as attorney-client privilege, attorney-work product, and the government's confidential business information. Exemption (b)(6) exempts personal information from release which, if released would result in a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Each redaction has been annotated to show the applicable FOIA exemption.

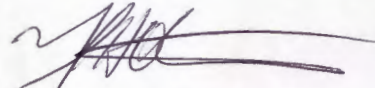
In view of the above, you may consider this to be an adverse determination that may be appealed. Since you have created an account in FOIA online, you may submit an appeal directly within the web-based system. To do this, you would log in to your account, retrieve your original request, and then click on the "Create Appeal" tab in the left-hand column. The basic information from your request will be duplicated for you, and then you can type in the basis of

your appeal. If you prefer to use regular mail, you may submit an appeal to The Department of the Navy, Office of the General Counsel (ATTN: FOIA APPEALS), 1000 Navy Pentagon, Room 5A532, Washington, DC 20350-1000. Your appeal, if any, must be postmarked within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter and should include a copy of your initial request, a copy of this letter, and a statement indicating why you believe your appeal should be granted. I recommend that your appeal and its envelope both bear the notation, "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

You also have the right to seek assistance and/or dispute resolution services from the Department of the Navy FOIA Public Liaison, Mr. Christopher Julka, at christopher.a.julka@navy.mil or (703) 697-0031. You may also contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) for assistance and/or dispute resolution at ogis@nara.gov or 1-877-684-6448. For more information online about services provided by OGIS, please visit their website at <https://ogis.archives.gov>.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, you may contact Sara Gibson at (812) 854-5297 or by email at sara.gibson@navy.mil.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'M. H. Oesterreich', with a horizontal line drawn through it.

M. H. OESTERREICH
Captain, U. S. Navy
Commanding Officer, NSWC Crane

Enclosure: 1. Document Listing
2. Responsive Documents (71)